

Dear Members of the FCC:

I am writing to urge that you deny the National Association of Broadcasters' petition No. 04-160. I have been a subscriber to XM Radio for nearly nine months and I can genuinely say that it has enriched my life by providing a wide variety of listening options.

America is about variety and choice. XM Radio has introduced both into an increasingly homogenized and sterile commercial radio sector. America is also about competition and the NAB petition represents an attempt to stifle competition from XM Radio in the embryonic stage of this exciting development.

Thank you, Mark Van Putten